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| Application No. <u>09/897,871</u> | Filing Date <u>July 2, 2001</u> | Examiner <u>Yu, Gina C.</u> | Group Art Unit <u>1617</u> |
| Invention: <u>Ringin Nanogel Compositions</u> | | | |
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In Re Application Of: **Bowen-Leaver, et al.**

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Invention: **Ringing Nanogel Compositions**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 3, 2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

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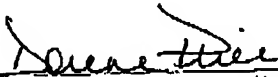
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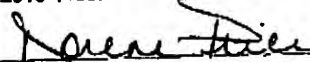
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